Talent Show Next Week

The Lance

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Bill Frazier Fastest In Iowa, Nation

The Drake Relays saw an amazing 1:53 half mile run by senior Bill Frazier when he anchored North Scott's medley team to a qualifying victory in the Prep division of the Drake Relays.

Last spring at the state outdoor meet, he won the half mile in two minutes flat. "And that's pretty fast, too!" remarked track coach Oles. At the beginning of this school year, with only a little more than a week's formal training, he again took first in the state. At this indoor meet his timing was somewhat slower as he was clocked in at 2:01.4.

Clinton's Gateway Classics knocked down all his former timings when he ran 1:58.9 in the half mile there.

Bill Frazier, North Scott senior who placed first in Iowa and the nation ,stands before the many medals and trophies he has helped to win for North Scott.

Bill "capped it all" at the Drake Relays when he ran the fastest high school half-mile ever in the state of Iowa with his 1:53. At the Drake Relays, one of the largest relays in the country, only four or five college half-milers were faster than Bill. "A good achievement," stated Coach Oles, "as colleges from all over the country send their finest trackmen to Drake."

Bill's record breaking time gives him the honor of being the fastest high school half-miler in the nation, this year or last.

An honor in itself, Bill received one vote for "Outstanding Athlete at Drake." Always the voting has been in favor of a college athlete. Coach Oles believes it is the first time a high school athlete has ever received a vote. Ten points gave a college discus thrower this honor.

At local meets as well as state affairs, Bill is North Scott's 880 man and anchor man for the relay teams.

In addition to track, Bill has lettered in football for two years at North Scott. "He was the team's outstanding defensive halfback, and he played offensive end," stated Coach Oles, Bill's football coach, too.

Bill runs again next Friday at the state outdoor meet where he'll be defending his state title from last year as champion half-miler.

Second Annual Talent Show

"Little Red School House," theme of the second annual talent show, will be presented by junior and senior high students Friday and Saturday, May 20 and 21, at 8:00 p.m. in the North Scott gym.

Presentation of the show will revolve around the recollection of pleasant school days. To carry out reminiscence, Melva Lafrenz and Dave Barnet, co-chairmen of the script committee, disregarded the time element when writing the script. Abstract staging and lighting under the direction of Dennis Stutzel will add to this effect.

Featured vocalists will be soloist Delores Boyle and trio members Evelyn Albrecht, Bonnie Keppy, and Linda Guthardt. The male chorus and mixed chorus will also perform.

Instrumental solos will be played by Mike Robb on the harmonica, flutist, Donna Welshons, Joyce Schmidt and Ronnie Oliver on the accordian, pianists Dean Schaff and Melva Lafrenz. An accordian duet by Shirley Hansen and Dianne Gilbert is scheduled. Joyce and Judy Plambeck and Linda Lafrenz will present an accordian trio. A piano duet by Dean Schaff and Phyllis Sawyer will terminate the program.

A novelty act will be pantomimed by Linda Drenter and Joyce Schmidt. Phyllis and Norman Sawyer and Dean Schaff will give an instrumental combo. A seventh grade group will present a square dance. Auditions and selections was handled by Linda Drenter, chairman.

Choreography for the eight-girl chorus line was arranged by Margo Frye. Evelyn Albrecht is chairman of make-up and costuming. Lyn Evans is in charge of publicity and tickets.

Mr. Oberg, faculty organizer commented, "The students have put a lot of time and effort into planning this event and enth grade group will present a square sentation will be well worth seeing."

PTA Plans Social

Wednesday, May 25, the North Scott high school PTA will sponsor an ice cream social in the North Scott cafeteria. Serving will begin at 5:30 P.M. and continue until 9:00 P.M.

A complete supper will be available to the community. The menu includes hamburgers, ham sandwiches, hot dogs, potato salad, ice cream, cake, and pie. A record soc hop will be held in the gym for the youngsters.

Mrs. Elmer Hamann is serving as general chairman of the annual event. Her assistants are Mrs. Wesley Schmaltz, Mrs. Allan Fischer, and Mrs. Leonard Schultz.

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Let's Quit Quitting

Are you one of the many persons who starts a job and never finds time to finish it? If you are this type of person, take inventory of the situation and see if there isn't a solution.

You can't go through life just doing what you want and get a satisfying result. To be really happy with yourself you have to have self-satisfaction; to obtain this one has to work earnestly. Everything worth having is worth working for.

As you are well aware, now is the time you start to make decisions — decisions regarding the future. These plans may include further education, pursuance of a vocation, or taking the easy way out by quitting.

If this first decision doesn't please you, don't be afraid to try something else. Possibly, your first decision will only be a preliminary step to your real desire. If happiness in life is your ultimate goal, correct decisions can help you to achieve this.

In conclusion, to make a real success of YOUR life, realize your special desire and ambition. Then instead of quitting, make a wise decision and get it done.

Seniors Plan Picnic

Monday, May 23, the senior class will go to Eagle Point Park for their picnic. Donna Behr and Marietta Holst are co-chairmen of the smorgasbord. Arlen Lamont and Bill Frazier are other committee members. The girls will organize the food and the boys will each donate 50c.

John Schroder is chairman of the recreation. Norm Meyer, Joyce Britton and Carole Hoffman are on the committee. This committee will be responsible to see that the various recreational equipment is available.

A committee was appointed to look into a memorium for the school. This consisted of Kathy Claussen, chairman, Wes Hansen, Cindy Oetzmann, Jerry Parrott and Joyce McAllister. This committee will check different stations to see what is suitable for the school's needs coordinated with the senior treasury.

All committees met Friday morning with the advisors, and work has been started.

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Concert Presented

Wednesday evening, May 4, a spring concert was presented in the North Scott gymnasium. The concert started at 8:15 p.m. No admission was charged, but a free will offering was taken at the door after the performance.

After the morning concert for the student body, a baritone horn player who had a solo in, "Nobody Knows the Trouble I've Seen," came down with the mumps. As Mr. Bakehouse said, " Nobody knows the trouble we saw."

Mr. Bakehouse said he was very pleased with the concert and hopes to see more like it in the future.

Prom: Night To Remember

Well, at last the big night was here, May 7, 1960. As you heard your date arrive, you could feel the butterflies in your stomach.

After the first moment, you felt a little bit better. As he handed you your corsage, he said, "Wow," to himself, and in return you pinned on his boutonniere and you thought (to yourself of course), "Gee, he looks neat."

After last minute instructions from your parents, you were finally ready to go. Gallentry certainly glowed that night; he helped you with your coat, opened the car door, and in general was a perfect gentleman.

There you were in Eldridge and as you entered the school, you stopped to talk to friends and admire their attire. Slowly you found yourselves entering Holland Holiday. For many it was the first time to see the gym so gaily decorated.

As your date took your arm, you wondered whether you'd make it down the steps without falling or stepping on one of the lights that decorated each side of the steps, along with arrangements of flowers.

The band was softly playing behind a blue and white stand in the form of a boat. Green and white streamers were gently swaying over our heads, and through clear plastic walls you could see multi-colored lights lining the bleachers. However, the main attraction was a twenty-foot high blue and white windmill with propelled rudders slowly turning. Surrounding the windmill was a landscape scene with gaily-colored crepe paper tulips, grass, and a pond with two ducks floating upon it.

You were seated and served by sophomores dressed in blue and white uniforms; the girls wore white Dutch hats.

The center piece on each table was a brown paper Dutch shoe with real tulips and lilacs in it. Refreshments of potato chips and pretzels were provided in baskets for each table. Coke or Seven-Up was brought to the table upon your request.

All too soon the dance was over. Everyone went out to eat or to parties. Holland Holiday, the 1960 Junior-Senior prom, became just a night to be long remembered and cherished.

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Miss Hoffman Attends Dinner

A cocktail hour was held from 6:00 to 7:00 P.M., and a dinner followed at 7:00 in the Skyline Room of the Blackhawk Hotel, April 27. Attending this dinner was Carole Hoffman, scholarship winner, accompanied by Miss Widigen.

At this dinner, Carole received her scholarship which was presented to her by Mrs. Bernice Davison, president of the Blackhawk Chapter. Carole will use this to enroll at the AIC trade school in Davenport.

All secretaries from the Blackhawk Chapter brought their bosses to the dinner. The Blackhawk Chapter is part of the International Secretaries Association.

Two other awards were given to the Secretary of the Week and the Boss of the Year.

C.Y.C. Plans Picnic

Christian Youth Club met in room A-3 at 8:00 p.m. Monday, May 9, to plan the annual picnic.

Tuesday, May 17, CYC members will meet at the school to leave for the picnic at Duck Creek Park in Davenport. Recreation will precede the meal. A camp-fire and vespers service, planned by Dave Barnet, program chairman, will conclude the picnic at 8:30 p.m.

Refreshments provided by Melva Lafrenz were served in the lounge.

Short Shorts

Casey at bat! Phyllis Sawyer grabbed a bat — the score was 3-3 with two outs for her team. She looked over the opposing team, then smiled grimly and said, "Everyone can move up now — this isn't going to take long."

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What length gloves are you going to wear to the Prom? When asked this question, Eunice Peters absent-mindly replied, "Uh - ankle length, I think."

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The story goes like this — Mrs. Sible put chicken on to cook before she left for school; she then remembered at noon that she forgot to turn it off. So, Mr. Sible was sent to turn it off, and this is what he found: A burnt piece of chicken that resembled charcoal. So, he opened the window (which had no screen) to let all the smoke out, and a few hundred flies flew in. When Mr. and Mrs. S. came home from school, all the flies were dead and poor Scarlet, the Sible's dog, was sick! Now that's what you'd call good home cookin'!!

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Landa Kuster was asked if she was wearing a strapless formal to the Prom; she answered with an embarrased grin— "No, I can't — because — I can't—'

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Gene Schneckloth couldn't find his comb in fourth hour chemistry class — seems Jim Schneckloth likes to jam key holes with comb teeth; especially chemistry equipment drawers.

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While making artificial flowers for the Prom — and being pretty good at it — Mike Keehner said, "I think I'll just make my date's corsage!" However, it was noted that his gal did appear with some real flowers!

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"For he's a jolly good runner!" After Bill Fraziers record half-mile trot — he was honored by the third lunch hour with a special treat. Three cakes and twenty-four cups of ice cream; later, Lynn Moeller, instigator of this plot, admitted he had done it because, "I've noticed how fond Bill is of dessert — he always eats it first!"

Peeters, Anderson Get Scholarships

Mr. Anderson & Mr. Peeters, teachers of the North Scott High School, applied for and were granted scholarships.

Mr. Peeters, physics and chemistry teacher, was granted a scholarship in physics to the University of Vermont. He applied to the National Science Foundation Scholarship which is given to participants from all parts of the country. The term of his schooling is from June 20 to August 12. Mr. Peeters is also going to take his family to Vermont for the summer. In expressing his gratitude, Mr. Peeters stated, "Naturally I'm very pleased, and I hope to make the best possible use of this scholarship."

Mr. Anderson, counselor and guidance teacher, was also granted a scholarship in guidance. The scholarship was sponsored by the National Defense Education Act of 1958. Mr. Anderson will attend the University of Iowa from June 14 to August 9 for the indicated term.

Mr. Anderson was one of twenty seven applicants who were from a field of 475 individuals who applied for the scholarship.

Beaming proudly, Mr. Anderson stated, "I feel quite fortunate to have this opportunity for additional study and preparation.."

FHA News

On Wednesday, April 27, from 3:30 to 6:00, North Scott's Future Homemakers of America had a picnic at the Eldridge elementary playground.

The picnic, which was scheduled to be held at Fejervary Park in Davenport, was held in Eldridge due to lack of sufficient transportation. The Future Homemakers roasted wieners and hamburgers over the grill along with the various other items on the menu. The girls played volley ball and soft ball.

The cheerleaders were also invited to attend the picnic after their practice.

At the May meeting of the Future Homemakers, the eighth grade girls are invited to attend. Nomination of officers for next year will take place at that time.

Two Week Calendar

May 16 Baseball there 4:00 p.m.
6th grade orientation parents 7:30

May 17 PTA Area III cafeteria 8:00 pm
Track Meet Geneseo
Conference Meeting - Mid-Prairie
Talent Show practice

May 18 FFA ag room 8:00 pm
Baseball - Grand Mound
Talent Show practice gym 7:30 pm

May 19 NSEA final meeting cafeteria 7:45 pm

May 20 Talent Show gym 8:00 pm

May 21 Talent Show gym 8:00 pm
4-H Rally Day Practice gym
9:00 am - 3:00 pm

Of Interest To Teens

By Bev Steward

The closing of another school year will soon be here, and the long hot summer days will soon appear. Perhaps, the same old jingles will be sounded this summer such as, "Wake Me When it's Over," or "What Am I to Do." Now, isn't that just like an out-of-school person? Their only concern is whether the sun will shine in order for them to get a tan, or what TV program will come on next. Honestly, people, you are not children anymore, and it is about high time you quit acting like one. If you want to be or act grown up, then carry on some responsibilities that a grown-up has. Say, for instance, a summer job.

The boys, especially, don't have the same opportunities as the girls have to get a job, because a large majority of the boys will be working on their dad's farm or some other place of business.

A great number of the girls will be wasting the world's valuable time sunning outside or trying to entertain themselves because they have nothing to do. Of course, that is only one person's point of view.

The adventure for a summer job can be very difficult because of the fact that most of us live in the country and, therefore, the only chance of getting a summer job would be if you had a car to use daily. But there are some teens that will have a bigger chance to work because they are close to larger towns around them.

The question has probably been brought up already, "What is there for me to do?" Well, that is up to you. If you have a hobby -- enlarge it. If you are interested in a certain field--work at it. No one can actually choose a small job for you, because if you are given a job that does not interest you, you will probably do a bad job. Find your interests or what you need to improve upon and "take it away!"

There are many things that you can be taught. You are never too old to learn. So, take this advice, if it sounds sensible, and enjoy your summer vacation differently for a change. Work!

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Plays Presented

The four speech classes have finished presenting their plays that they wrote.

Each class was divided into groups of five or six students, but one group consisted of nine.

Among the various types of plays given were a melodramatic western, a hillbilly, a satire on the German army, a satire on society and the police of Scotland Yard, and one concerning foreign intrique.

"Jim Ellis probably did the best individual job," reported Mr. Sible speech instructor.

Others who did a "good job" were Merv Thede, Bev Amhof, Landa Kuster, Dennis Stutzel, Gerald Kuhl, Lenita Schroder, and Dave Schaeffer.

Schwarz Wins Pythias Contest

Dale Schwarz, senior, won the speech contest, "2000 A.D.," sponsored by the National Knights of Pythias. The contest was held at N.S.H.S. on May 4 in the speech room.

Schwarz won ten dollars and is eligible to continue on to state district level which will take place sometime later this month. The ultimate goal is a fifteen thousand dollar scholarship or a trip to Europe for that amount. Schwarz also gave his speech to the local chapter that made the prizes available.

Other prize winners were Arlen Lamont and Dave Barnet. Lamont won second place and the sum of seven and a half dollars while Barnet placed third and won five dollars. Other contestants were Dolores Boyle, Darrell Thompson, and Jim Nickles.

The contest consisted of an original speech expressing how life would be in the twenty-first century. Speeches ranged from how education would be administered and how the automobile of that day would look and run to Schwarz's idea that although life might be better then, we would not make it to that century.

Judging for the contest were Miss Kragenbrink, Mrs. and Mr. Sible all from the school's speech department.

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Monday
Barbecued Pork on Bun
Whipped Potatoes
Onion Rings
Buttered Peas
Rhubarb Sauce
Milk

Tuesday
Ham and Noodle Casserole
Spring Salad
Bread & Butter
Peach Cobbler
Milk

Wednesday
Beef Stew
Whipped Potatoes
Celery and Carrot Strips
Strawberry Chiffon Pudding
Milk

Thursday
Wiener Winks
Creamed Corn
Sweet Pickles
Orange Juice
Apple Cake
Milk

Friday
Tuna Wiggle (Creamed Tuna)
Baking Powder Biscuit
Buttered Asparagus
Bread and Butter
Fruit Jello
Milk

Monday
May 16 Thru May 20
Ground Beef and Spaghetti
Buttered Corn
Cheese Biscuit
Pear Sauce
Milk

Tuesday
Scalloped Potatoes and Ham
Vegetable Jello Salad
Peanut Butter or Plain Sandwich
Spice Cake
Milk

Wednesday
Pizza Pie
Cabbage Slaw
Rye Bread Sandwich
Tapioca Pudding
Milk

Thursday
Pork Chop-ette
Whipped Potatoes
Strained Tomatoes
Bread and Butter
Apple Sauce
Milk

Friday
Macaroni and Cheese
Egg Salad Sandwich
Pickled Beets
Chocolate Cake
Milk

Monsalvatge Speaks

RAY MONSALVATGE

Ray F. Monsalvatge, Jr. addressed the North Scott student body Monday, May 2, at 1:00 P.M. in the gym on "How to Get Ahead."

Director of field education for the National Management Association and teach for six months out of the year, Mr. Monsalvatge used the Bible passage, "Seek and ye shall find; knock and it shall be opened unto you," as the core around which he developed the theory that anything is possible if one strives diligently toward a goal and takes advantage of the opportunities available to him.

Also a magician, Mr. Monsalvatge intermittently exhibited his skill to illustrate additional themes. Emphasis was placed on the need for courtesy; hate is learned—one is not born with it; respect for other's ways and property is of paramount importance; all really great people are not "stuffed shirts" but common people; one can save $5,000 to $30,000 during a lifetime if he doesn't use the installment plan on luxuries.

Mr. Monsalvatge also has a small menagerie at his home in Dayton, Ohio, where he raises animals of the forest from infancy to illustrate that animals and people aren't born with fear & hate.

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Medley Team 1st, 2nd At Drake

April 30, at the Drake Relays, the North Scott medley team took first place and several honors in the qualifying time.

In the morning preliminaries, the team of Denny Timmerman, Terry Carstens, Ken Wiggers, and Bill Frazier, ran 3:36.9 in the medley relay to qualify for the afternoon's running. Here is when Frazier ran his 1:53 half-mile.

The afternoon race took place in a drenching rain. North Scott came in 2nd and missed first place by a little more than a second.

The team clocked in at 3:39.9. The winning team made it in 3:38.4.

The sprint medley ran the second fastest high school medley at Drake, one of the largest meets in the country, and the seventh fastest in Iowa history.

Introducing Miss Shope

Watertown, South Dakota, was the birthplace of North Scott's girls physical education teacher, Miss Shope. Her family moved to Scottsbluff, Nebraska, when she was four years old. When she was in the seventh grade, they moved to Davenport, where she continued in school and graduated from Davenport High.

Miss Shope graduated in 1958 from Iowa State Teachers College, where she majored in physical education and minored in English. She now holds a B.A. degree. North Scott is the first school at which she has taught. She has charge of six junior high classes, five senior high classes, and a study hall.

Her most embarrassing moment took place in the gym locker room. She chuckled, "It was only a few weeks ago. I was taking a shower after school and a janitor, thinking everyone had gone, walked in on me!!!"....

Some of the summer jobs she has had are working in parks with children, teaching them games, and being a camp counselor. This summer Miss Shope and her roommates plan to travel. Among the places they intend to visit are Nebraska, Montana, Yellowstone Park, Rocky Mountain National Park, and Salt Lake City. They are going to travel in Miss Shopes' foreign car and take a tent and sleeping bags along and camp along the way.

Listening to classical music such as Beethoven and Tchaikovsky, and reading novels were named by Miss Shope as two of her main interests. "I read mostly historical novels. I like to write, too—usually poetry and short stories."

When it comes to dating, she has "special favorites for each season." In the summer she likes to play miniature golf, tennis, go swimming and water skiing. During the winter months she enjoys bowling, ice skating, skiing, and going to shows.

When asked if she liked parties, she grinned, "Why not?"

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Coaches Meet

On Monday, April 25, Coach Oles and Coach Nelson attended a medical conference in Des Moines, Iowa. This conference was held in the Veteran's Auditorium from 9:00 A.M. to 5:30 P.M.

The main idea expressed during this meeting was the treatment and prevention of athletic injuries. The Medical Association of Iowa sponsored this gathering for the doctors and coaches with the major objective of maintaining a better understanding between doctors and coaches concerning injuries incurred during athletic events.

Lancers Play Grand Mound

The North Scott baseball team will challenge the Grand Mound team on May, 18.

When asked for facts about the game, Coach McCleary reported, "I know nothing about Grand Mounds team. However, I do feel we will be more on our own level of competition than we are in playing teams such as Davenport and Alleman !!"

Cheerleading Practice Begins

"Oh—my legs, I can't walk or bend!" This is the comment that is most frequently heard "the morning after"—the morning after cheerleading practice.

Girls participate in this practice session on Wednesday nights from 3:40 to 5 in the gym.

This practice starts with various exercises; the girls go into individual groups to practice the motions to one or two cheers.

After drilling for the entire length of time, the practice ends with a cheer or two jumps and a cartwheel by each girl.

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Sock Hop Saturday

Tomorrow night, May 14, the North Scott Amateur Radio Society is sponsoring a sock hop in the gym from 8:00 to 11:00 p.m.

Two disc jockeys from radio station KMAQ in Maquoketa will mc the dance. They are furnishing their own record player, amplifiers, and records.

The dance is for senior high students, but is not restricted to North Scott students. Hams are encouraged to attend.

Admission for the dance is fifty cents and there will be door prizes.

Annual Progress

Mats are being completed and are being sent in to the printers.

Also an assignment sheet was drawn up by Dennis Stutzel, chief editor, to show who is responsible for certain pages and sections of the annual. Layouts were assigned and club sections broken down.

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NOTICE

To all sixth graders and parents of sixth grade students:

On Monday evening, May 16, at 8:00 p.m., the North Scott junior high school Student Council is providing an Orientation Night (in preparation for the coming school year) for all sixth grade students and respective parents.

The program will take place in the North Scott gymnasium. The program will center around talks given by Mr. Cassidy (director of elementary education), Mr. Heiler (high school principal), and Mr. Anderson (guidance, director) on pupil school expenses, curriculum, guidance, and other important school matters.

A fourteen table display of equipment and materials will be presented by the various junior high departments and various service organizations. The table displays will be for public viewing following the introductory speeches. The entire program will be carried out in the gym.

It is hoped that this Orientation Program will enable your son/daughter to obtain a better start in the 1960-61 school year at North Scott junior high. This should present a good chance to have your questions answered. In this respect, feel free to ask any questions that you or your children might have concerning the new school situation in which you will become involved.

Please try and be in attendance this night as it is of the most importance that your children receive this orientation.

"PROGRAM"

Introduction of orientation program by Mr. Reeder (Sponsor, North Scott Junior High School Student Council). General welcome by Mr. Cassidy (Director of Elementary Education).

Student guidance program by Mr. Anderson (North Scott Guidance Director).

General school information by Mr. Heiler (North Scott Principal).

Introduction of junior high staff and examination of materials. (Introduction by Mr. Heiler).

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Stork Works Overtime

April has certainly been a busy month for the stork at North Scott. Several teachers have been blessed with "little bundles of joy."

The first call ole Doc Stork made was April 16, to Mr. and Mrs. Anderson to deliver an eight pound, two ounce baby girl named Jody Kay. (nineteen and one-fourth inches long.)

No sooner did he get to rest than on April 22, Mr. and Mrs. Schmann, wanted a baby girl, weighing seven pounds, eleven and one-half ounces, and named Beth Ann delivered. (Twenty and one-fourth inches.)

By this time Mr. Stork was pretty worn out, but he didn't let that stop him from delivering six pound, seven ounce, Mark William to the Oles' residence on April 26. Mark was nineteen and three-fourths inches long.

The future doesn't look very relaxing for the stork, Mr. and Mrs. Olson have an order in for a baby to be delivered in the near future.

When asked about his busy schedule, the stork replied, "Nothing to it."

Spanish Girls Act Fairy Tale

Once upon a time "Goldilocks and the three Bears" was presented by cartoon characters on various movie screens, but today the North Scott Spanish students are doing it a bit different--without a screen. The second year Spanish class and one first year Spanish student gave the presentation of the fairy tale to Mr. Reeders's eighth grade pupils.

The Spanish characters who participated in the play were Pam Snyder as Papa Bear, Mary Marti and Mama Bear, Cathy Brown as Baby Bear, who is from Mr. Reeder's first year Spanish class, and Carol Madden as Goldilocks. Ann Lage read the story while the other girls acted their parts. Each had three lines to say.

The Spanish students at first had to translate the story into the Spanish language before they could perform it. After this was done they began practicing it during their class period under the direction of Mrs. Sible, their Spanish teacher.

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Dorothy Steffen - Sixth Grade

The sixth grade has done many interesting activities this year. One thing they enjoyed very much was to challenge the sixth grade of Mt. Joy to a spelldown. The students were divided into "good," "better," & "best" spellers. John Pischke was winner of the good group, Sharon Krenz of the better group, and Molly Wuestenberg of the best group. Dennis Schneckloth gave her real competition, and for a while the class thought they would be at the contest all night.

Social studies is a fascinating subject when the places you are studying really are made real! This happened to us when Mrs. Dirkson, a missionary from Manaus, Brazil, came to the room and spoke to the class for two and one half hours. We were amazed at the size of the insects she had captured. They were awed by the blow gun and other curios she had.

The room had 100 per cent participation in the Soil Conservation Books.

English was a lot of fun, especially the units on poems, stories, and dramatic. Snow White and Rose Red was the best play given, which was produced by Molly Wuestenberg.

Other activities were planned, but roads and weather changed them.

School in the bank basement is surely a never-to-be-forgotten experience of sixth grade.

Miss Widigen Has Dinner

Miss Widigen, secretarial practice instructor, held a buffet dinner, Tuesday, May 2, at 6:30 P.M. for her secretarial girls at her home in Davenport.

About thirteen girls attended the dinner. Afterwards, the girls played Court Whist.

Carole Hoffmann, one of the students in attendance, commented, "I think it was very nice of her to do this for us and we all enjoyed it very much."

Band

Thursday, April 28, North Scott's senior high band played at Bettendorf.

Four junior high students were featured and accompanied the senior high band in one arrangement.

The concert lasted for an hour and students were transported there and back by bus.